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Dexter Small

Fruit Farm

Established 1881

Nursery

Thos. Small

Elbert Astor

Dexter  
a. home

Spring Garden

Rhubarb or Pie Plant  
The first fruit of the season

Rhubarb can be planted  
either in the fall or in the  
spring, it grows harder which  
needs some attention & very  
rich soil to get the best  
results. It must have a  
dry warm place no shade  
from buildings or shade  
of trees in order to get the  
best results.

Great Simmans This is  
the earliest red tender which  
gives best results.

Stout Rhubarb is  
a coarse large stock  
does not take as  
well as the Simmans

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Strawberry Plant we  
grow, I have been growing  
Strawberry Plant for market  
many years

Gen. Clark

Fruit large dark red  
firm quality fine  
a good grower to production  
well known standard mid  
season

Senator Duesch  
this variety gave perfect  
satisfaction in all sections  
the fruit is large dark red  
rich flavor good shape  
command the highest price  
among the dealers

4/03

Raspberry Plant  
Largest Large Red &  
Productive Raspberry  
that grows in our climate  
if a few beds wish to earn  
little but assuredly by  
growing small fruits grow  
the Northwest Raspberry its  
high most production of  
all kinds.

The Purple Raspberry grows  
the Columbian a very  
large selection grows  
which is also very  
large & large most  
valuable no mistake  
in saying this variety  
for garden or market  
use.

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Current of Perpetua

Fay Prolific is a good  
grower & very prolific  
for commercial planting  
grow Fay Prolific.

For home use grow  
the white Grape, the  
fruit is white & quite  
sweet & much finer  
for table use than  
the red varieties

Grass they  
 is a very good  
 for both varieties for  
 average market is  
 the same as large  
 green very similar to  
 the other in regards the  
 same as the

It is a very  
 good, I have seen red  
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Russian Mulberry  
 is a wonderful fruit  
 is not being grown  
 by a very few in our  
 State. Mulberry trees  
 grow large as an apple  
 tree. The fruit looks  
 like a common black  
 black in color & about  
 as large as a walnut  
 fruit are used for  
 for making wine or  
 canning. The fruit  
 grows from small  
 green tied into  
 clusters about three  
 months of the year  
 you can pick fresh  
 mulberries every day  
 the trees are hardy

Oct 5 9/10  
much better  
than the last year  
now there is several  
of the old ones  
and the new ones  
as well as the  
old ones  
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is the best of well  
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The Grapes are not-  
being grown by any  
body harder  
its a mistake not  
growing this here  
delish fruit

The same varieties  
can be grown in  
stair & get ripe  
by taking little care  
in the fall. months  
grow the grapes on  
the north side of the  
building out, the  
way of frost  
morning & then  
will get ripe & get  
some fine grapes

